

CASE No.: PAT032859-US-PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE COPPOLA ET AL.

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Application Number: 10/542,759

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FOR: AMIDE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS INHIBITORS OF 11-  
BETA-HYDROXYSTEROID DEHYDROGENASE TYPE 1

MS: RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action made final which was mailed February 17, 2010, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. Applicants request a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action and have submitted the appropriate fee concurrently herewith. Applicants are filing a Request for Continued Examination herewith with the appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.